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PATENT APPLICATION

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RUSSELL SHEPHERD, ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2855
Application No.: 10/826,129)	
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Filed: April 16, 2004)	
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For: METHOD OF ESTIMATING THE)	
TEMPERATURE OF THE AIR IN THE	:	
INTERNAL CAVITY OF A TIRE AND)	
APPLICATION TO THE DETECTION	:	
OF ABNORMAL OPERATING OF A)	
RUNNING-FLAT SYSTEM	:	July 29, 2005

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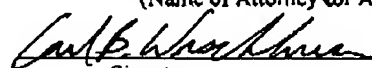
In response to the Office Action dated June 30, 2005, Applicants elect,
without traverse, to proceed initially with prosecution of Group II (Claims 5-19).

An early and favorable examination of those claims on the merits is
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